

Putnam Memorial State Park, Redding, CT

During the American Revolution in 1778-79 Putnam Memorial was a campground for the Northern troops. A stone obelisk built in 1888 marks the site of the encampment. A corresponding museum gives the opportunity to learn the historical context of the location. The picture postcard shown here is postmarked 1917, today is found on the loop tour and is interpreted as the "Officer's Quarters/Magazine"